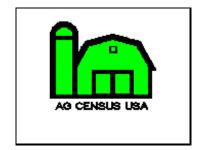
1997 Census of Agriculture County Profile

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Land in farms

Decreased 5 percent from 166,477 acres in 1992 to 158,735 acres in 1997.

Average size of farms

Unchanged from 178 acres in 1992 to 178 acres in 1997.

Full time farms

Decreased 9 percent from 461 farms in 1992 to 420 farms in 1997.

Market value of agricultural products sold

Increased 2 percent to \$40,924,000 in 1997.

Crop sales accounted for 18 percent of the market value.

Livestock sales accounted for 82 percent of the market value.

Market value of agricultural products sold, average per farm

Increased 7 percent from \$42,910 in 1992 to \$45,982 in 1997.

